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SUBJECT: BRIEFING LUNS ON NIMETZ TRIP
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1. WE NOTE IN PARA 3, REFTTEL THAT US WILL TAKE EARLY OPPOR-
TUNITY TO PROVIDE BRIEFING TO FRG ON NIMETZ VISIT TO CYPRUS,
WHICH FRG, IN ITS CAPACITY AS EC PRESIDENCY, MAY PASS TO
MEMBERS OF THE EC-9.

2. WE WISH TO RECALL IN THIS REGARD THAT WE HAVE PERIODI-
CALLY IN THE PAST KEPT SECRETARY GENERAL LUNS, AND SELECTED
PERMREPS AS APPROPRIATE, INFORMED OF OUR VIEWS AND ACTI-
VITIES REGARDING CYPRUS. IT IS PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT WITH
LUNS WHO IS SENSITIVE ABOUT NATO'S STATUS VIS-A-VIS THE
NINE AND WHO, IN ANY CASE, HAS LEGITIMATE REASONS FOR BEING
KEPT INFORMED GIVEN HIS LONG STANDING NATO "WATCHING BRIEF"
ON THE CYPRUS PROBLEM, AND HIS CONSISTENTLY HELPFUL ATTITUDE
TO THE US ON PROBLEMS OF THE AREA.

3. ACCORDINGLY, WE REQUEST THAT UPON COMPLETION OF THE
NIMETZ VISIT AND AT APPROPRIATE INTERVALS THEREAFTER, WE
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BE AUTHORIZED TO BRIEF LUNS ON CYPRUS.

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